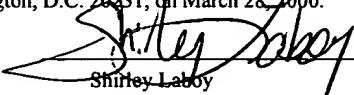


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

Christopher J. DANEK, et al.

Serial No.: 09/436,455

Filing Date: November 8, 1999

For: DEVICES FOR MODIFICATION OF
AIRWAYS BY TRANSFER OF
ENERGY

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Group Art Unit: 3737

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated December 14, 1999. This extension will extend the time the response is due from February 14, 2000 to April 14, 2000.

- A two month(s) extension is requested; the extension fee is \$190.00.
- A check in the amount of \$190.00 is attached.

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The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this petition, or to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 03-1952** referencing docket no. 435712000921.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: March 28, 2000

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